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Messrs. Rebbe & Shimp, who have conducted a large number of successful Auction Sales in the Vulcan district the past few weeks announce the following sales on the dates and at the places mentioned.

Thursday, December 2nd. At the farm of D. O. Robinson, N.E. quarter of section 28-15-25-W4, being 5 miles west and 7 miles south of Vulcan. Horses, Cattle, Machinery and Furniture, commencing at 11 o'clock.

Saturday, December 4th, in Vulcan, at the rear of the Vulcan Livery Barn, commencing at 1 o'clock, 8 horses and harness belonging to Mr. Ray Woods, and numerous other articles.

Monday, December 6th, Horses, Cattle, Machinery and Furniture belonging to Mr. J. J. Balsted, S.W. quarter of section 13-17-22-W4, being 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Reid Hill and 15 miles east and 2 miles north of Vulcan.

Tuesday, December 7th, Horses, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Machinery and Furniture, belonging to Mr. E. G. McPherson, N.E. quarter of section 36-16-24-W4, being 3 and one half miles east of Vulcan.

There are big sales and if you are in need of any stock, etc., for your farm, it will pay you to attend.

LADIES' AID BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid of the Union Church are giving a Bazaar and Concert on Thursday, December 9th. Afternoon Tea will be served in the I.O.O.F. Hall from 3 to 6 o'clock and a sale of home cooking, etc. In the evening a concert will be held when numbers will be given by local talent assisted by outside artists. The following are looking after the various departments:

Candy Booth—Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Carson; Home Cooking—Mrs. Mrs. LeBow, Mrs. F. Clark and Mrs. F. Jurney; Fancy Work—Mrs. Jennie John, Mrs. Rolston and Mrs. Hayes; Plain Sewing—Mrs. Grant; Dolls and Fish Pond—Mrs. Spooner and Mrs. Reeves.

VULCAN CURLING CLUB

At a meeting of the Vulcan Curling Club held on Friday, November 12th, the following skips and rinks were appointed:

Gordon McKay, R. E. Dodds, D. Allen, T. B. LeBow, skip.

A. O. Craig, J. Dewie, R. Elves, E. J. Charters, skip.

D. Berringer, G. McQueen, W. E. Butchart, A. J. Flood, skip.

H. A. Wenger, W. J. Robson, J. Thompson, W. A. Rolston, skip.

Dr. H. P. Barker, Harry Allen, W. A. Howes, F. Anderson, skip.

H. Marcellus, R. Greacen, F. Galliker, W. O. Torgerson, skip.

G. W. Buck, J. S. Donaldson, D. Cunningham, J. Wolfe, skip.

Mr. Hanson, G. Denbigh, J. McIntyre, D. C. Jones, skip.

Rev. A. E. Hayes, O. B. Rowe, F. J. Stewart, A. G. Spooner, skip.

E. McIntosh, G. Collier, J. P. Marshall, A. Trail, skip.

M. Rutherford, F. Elves, L. H. Stack, C. Hall, skip.

Dr. G. M. Carson, Ben Brown, D. McRobbie, H. Grant, skip.

WRESTLING MATCH

The wrestling match between Bud Brooks, of Falls City, Nebraska, and Cyclone Mills, of Vulcan, which was staged at the Opera House on Saturday evening last, before a large crowd, turned out to be one of the best that has been yet put on. This match was expected to be a farce as Bud Brooks, who is supposed to be a professional, claimed he could throw Mills twice in half an hour and it was the opinion of the crowd that he could do so in a much shorter period, but they had an opportunity to change their minds as soon as young Mills got into action.

It took Brooks twenty minutes to make the first throw, leaving ten minutes to make the second. After the boys got rested up they started the milling once more and with only four minutes to go Brooks got his man. This would not have happened, however, had not Brooks stunned Mills with a blow on the forehead with his knee. After this was called and Brooks announced that he was able to rise and was assisted to the hotel.

Considering that Mills has never had any training at this sport it is the opinion of the majority present that he made an excellent showing and it is to be hoped that we may see the two matched again in the near future.

SMOKER AND PRESENTATION

A very pleasant time was had at the I.O.O.F. Hall on Tuesday evening last when about one hundred of the business men of Vulcan and farmers of the surrounding district assembled at a smoker held in honor of Mr. A. M. Trail, manager of the Bank of Hamilton, who has been transferred to Brandon, Manitoba.

Mayor W. E. Butchart occupied the chair and opened up the first part of the program, which consisted of music and song, at 9 o'clock. Song sheets containing all the popular choruses were given out and the singing of these by the whole gathering was a distinctive feature of the occasion, everybody sang, there was not one slacker there. Several solos by Mr. W. A. Hower, Mr. Greacen, Mr. F. L. Simington and Mr. A. E. Butchart were also well rendered and received. The Vulcan Jazz Sextet, who do not wish their names to appear in print, in case they are called on too often, were much in evidence and kept the company very hilarious by song and antics. Card tables were also provided for those who wished to participate and so the time passed merrily until about 11 o'clock when the gathering proceeded to the basement for the second part of the program—a good supper—to which everyone did justice.

Mayor Butchart then addressed the gathering and in a few well chosen words dwelt on the sterling qualities of the guest of the evening from a social and also a business standpoint, and expressed the regret felt by the community at large at the departure of such an esteemed citizen from our midst. He then called upon Mr. Trail to come forward and upon him doing so Mr. Butchart presented him, on behalf of the people of Vulcan, with a set of curling stones, as a token of the high esteem in which he was held and hoped that whenever used they would always be on the winning side. Mrs. Trail was not forgotten, but the good lady was not present. Mr. Trail was asked to accept, on her behalf, a cut glass water set, as a token of the esteem in which she also was held in the community and which would serve to remind her of the friends left behind.

Mr. Trail expressed the thanks of himself and Mrs. Trail for the presents received and said that they would always be valued, not for their intrinsic value alone but for the spirit in which they had been given. He was sorry to leave Vulcan and the many friends he had made since coming here and as time drew near for his departure he felt more than ever loath to leave because no matter where he went he would never spend such a happy time as he had in Vulcan, which, he said was the best little town in the west.

Short speeches were made by Geo. Staples and Mr. J. A. Lindsay in connection with the event, and as Mr. Lindsay recounted, in his inimitable manner, a certain incident which occurred a short time ago between the guest of honor and himself, roars of laughter was the result.

The gathering then rose and all joining hands, the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought a splendid social evening to a close.

LADIES' AID SHOWER

A most enjoyable time was spent by a large number of Vulcan ladies at the Manse on Thursday afternoon last when the Ladies' Aid of the Vulcan Church held a shower for the bazaar which is to take place in December and also to say good-bye to Mrs. Trail, who has left Vulcan. The first part of the afternoon was given over to business presided over by Mrs. Carson, vice-president in the absence of Mrs. Spooner, president, and when this was concluded the shower took place.

Mrs. Marshall undertook to open the parcels and some of the contents were really lovely, showing the good taste and ability of the Vulcan ladies once more. The knitted articles and also the crochet were especially admired and made one glad the opportunity would come for securing some of this work. After all the parcels were opened and the things priced, the president pro tem requested Mrs. Trail, one of the most active and incidentally one of the oldest members of the Aid, to come forward, but being of a retiring disposition, Mrs. Trail gracefully declined. Mrs. Gardner then went to her and read an address from the Aid, expressing the deep regrets of the ladies of Vulcan at her departure and from their midst and also tendering their best wishes for her future welfare. Mrs. Reeves then presented her with a French Ivory toilet set consisting of brush, comb and glass. Mrs. Trail then thanked them in a suitable manner and "She's a jolly good fellow" was sung by all present. The rest of the afternoon was then devoted to the social side and tea was served. The meeting afterwards closed by everyone joining hands and singing "Auld Lang Syne."

BOX SOCIAL AND DANCE

The Box Social and Dance held on Friday, November 26th, in the schoolhouse at Ensign, for the benefit of the Ensign U.F.A., was a memorable event in the annals of that organization. An exceptionally large crowd was in attendance and had a most enjoyable time and everything went off without a hitch. Cards and dancing were indulged in until about 11 p.m., when Mr. C. C. Rebbe, of Vulcan, auctioned the boxes with the result that the Local has increased their funds by \$110.00.

After supper dancing was again the order and continued until the "Wee sma' hours," when the crowd departed having spent one of the best evenings that Ensign has ever experienced.

The Local would like to take this opportunity of thanking their friends from Vulcan who so kindly attended, and also to remind them of the Whist Drive to be held on December 10th, to which everyone is invited. Suitable prizes will be given.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A large number of friends of Miss Edna Reynolds, including the Misses Bernice Porter, Ethel Hodge, Ella Hodge, I. Malloy, I. Terry, E. Yeo, C. Davis and M. Bennett, gathered at her home on Tuesday evening last and presented her with a number of articles in the form of a miscellaneous shower. After the presentation the evening was spent in card playing and dancing until about 12 o'clock when a refreshing lunch was served which was enjoyed by all present. Miss Reynolds is to be married shortly to Mr. Leslie Middleton.

DEPARTURE OF MR. AND MRS. TRAIL

The removal of Mr. A. M. Trail, who has been the manager of the Bank of Hamilton at this point for a number of years has caused the loss to Vulcan of a very estimable family and the regret of the whole community has been expressed both by word and deed ever since the decision of Mr. Trail to accept this new post was first made known. However, Vulcan's loss is Brandon's gain and it seemed that all the people of town were at the depot to bid good-bye to these good people who had dwelt so long in our midst and who had made friends with everybody, no matter what their standing or creed.

Mr. and Mrs. Trail were old timers in Vulcan, having come here from Newton when the town was first made in the year 1910, and when there were only a few shacks and stores standing on the bare prairie, but, being a Scotsman, and an optimistic one at that, Mr. Trail saw great possibilities for this little burg and immediately joined hands with other residents with a view to advancing it and that the efforts of those early settlers in this connection was successful is evidenced by the remarkable growth of the town from its inception, until today it has the name of being the busiest and best little town in Alberta.

Besides his work for the town he was always identified in sporting circles, being a prominent supporter of baseball and an enthusiastic curler, in fact anything in the line of sport always had his support. He was also a member of the Masonic Order, being Worshipful Master of the local lodge for the past year.

Mrs. Trail also was a prominent figure in social circles and as one of the oldest members of the Ladies' Aid of the Vulcan Community Church, will be sorely missed for her help and guidance in all things pertaining to the advancement of church work in our midst.

The good wishes of the people of Vulcan and district go with Mr. and Mrs. Trail to their new field of labor and may success and prosperity be their lot in the future years to come and if at any time either of them should honor us with a visit they will be sure to receive a right royal welcome by the friends they have left behind.

GOLDEN RULE W. I.

The Golden Rule Women's Institute held a Whist Drive and Dance at the Fireguard School on Wednesday, November 19th. On account of the cold weather the crowd was not large as on the week following, but \$11.75 net was realized. J. Archibald received the first prize for gentlemen and H. Hoffman carried off the Ladies' prize. D. A. McRae and A. Walter won the Boobies.

On Thursday, November 18th, a jolly time was reported by the large gathering; Mrs. Geo. Orr and E. F. Crawford were the winners while Mrs. F. J. Beingsner and Ed. Zange received the Consolations. Ed. thought his prize looked so tempting that it was part of a chicken and nearly choked on raw carrot before he found out his mistake. The net proceeds amounted to \$17.55.

The annual meeting of the Golden Rule Institute will take place at Mrs. M. Engleking's, on Thursday, December 2nd, at 1 o'clock. Every member should make an effort to be present, not only to hear the year's report, but to ensure a successful beginning for the new year. Mrs. Long had charge of the meeting on the 18th and gave a splendid paper on "Socialization of Rural Communities."

Please bear in mind that during the winter months the meetings will begin at 1 o'clock. Luncheon will be served before the business is discussed.

All members are requested to pay their annual fee of 25c before or on December 2nd to the secretary-treasurer. Anyone joining in November is a paid up member for the coming year.

The Golden Rule Women's Institute, jointly with the Alston branch of the U.F.A., will hold a Box Social and Dance, on Friday, November 26th, at Alston Schoolhouse. Ladies bring boxes and coffee will be served when boxes are sold. General admission for gentlemen, 50c. Boxes will be auctioned.

No. 1 Apples \$3.75 at the 4X Meats Market.

Vulcan Agricultural Society Annual :- Meeting

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INSTITUTE MEETING

The Institute meeting held in connection with the Vulcan Agricultural Society in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Saturday afternoon last and which was addressed by George Hoadley, M.L.A., was very well attended by the farmers of the district and the subject which the speaker dealt with were listened to with the keenest interest.

Fall Fairs was the first subject taken up and in connection with them he said he was glad to see that we had a Fair as he was one of the first to propose it a few years ago rather than see it go to Brant or Champion as there is no finer district in the province than is tributary to Vulcan. In dealing with the Summer compared to the Fall Fair the speaker said the Summer Fair was far the best from an educational standpoint but it must be for the people of any particular district themselves to judge which of the two can be held to the best advantage. The Fall Fair has it over the Summer Fair in that the farmer can show that year's grains, grasses, vegetables, etc., and although the weather is sometimes detrimental to its success, yet they are becoming more popular every year, especially in the northern parts of the province where mixed farming is carried on to a larger extent than in the south, and when dairy produce can be shown to better advantage.

The speaker then took up the matter of roads and advocated, instead of the many badly kept roads there are at present, a limited number kept in good repair and which should be permanent. During the past few years the province of Alberta has spent a great deal of money to give some kind of road between Calgary and Okotoks that had cost about \$4,000 per mile, which, in wet weather was nothing but a quagmire. The roads we need are the ones that are good in all weathers and should be made with a system and by someone with a knowledge of the work as is in practice in the States where road-making is done by road engineers who have passed through college for that purpose. What we want is good roads and not to see roads created and then left as that will never get us anywhere and is only a waste of money.

Automobile licenses was then dealt with and the speaker said that he could remember when there were only about 20 automobile licenses in the province, but now they were a great revenue producer which amounted last year to \$665,000.00. He would like to see the present system changed, however, and the man who could afford to run a big, expensive machine should be made to pay a bigger license than the man who could only afford to run a little old Ford, as the big cars do more damage to the roads and should pay more towards their maintenance, as the revenue from this source goes to keeping roads in repair. In referring to the question of road transportation, the speaker said that if this ever materialized a tax should be imposed on these companies to go towards the upkeep of the roads which they would use.

The question of hospitals was then taken up and the speaker said that he did not agree with the present system in vogue. We want hospitals and need them but a proper plan should be submitted showing where they are needed and then placed where they will best serve their purpose and that is in districts where there are little or no railroad facilities and where they will cater to the needs of a large territory, the government making grants similar to that allowed to schools for their support.

In connection with our schools the speaker thought that the method of cramming too much into the heads of the children was wrong as it just went in one ear and out of the other and was no use to them. What was wanted is a good, sound education for the future life of the child and not a lot of things that will not benefit him and help him to be useful to himself and to his country. The present system of running agricultural schools could be improved and instead of the boys and girls who are attending these institutions having to board out, which is sometimes a drain on the purse of the parents, dormitories should be provided whereby board and room could be had cheaper and these to be in

charge of a responsible person.

In conclusion Mr. Hoadley then gave a very interesting talk on Parliamentary Representation and dealt at some length with the vital topics of the day. He pointed out that the farmer must have representation, on the floor of the House. The farmers have been blind in the past and have let their power pass from their hands and this is one of the chief reasons why they have to pay through the nose especially in regard to labor where the city man sets the price and they have to pay instead of it being their privilege to do so or pay a man what he is worth.

DEATH OF WILFRED E. GREEN

The death took place in the High River Hospital on Tuesday, November 23rd, of Mr. Wilfred E. Green, a young and prosperous farmer of the Brant district, son of Mrs. W. E. Green, after a short illness, the news coming as a shock to his many friends who were not aware of his serious condition. During the past year he has been undergoing treatment at Calgary for a minor ailment of the knee, but was able to assist in the usual work on his farm of three quarter sections of land. Recently he came to High River suffering seriously from heart and liver trouble from which he did not recover. The late Mr. Green enlisted with the 97th Battalion, and went into training at Toronto. In 1916 he went overseas where he joined with the Royal Canadian regiment and he continued in the service in France for several years. While at the front he was slightly gassed, but not sufficient to be a casualty, but no doubt this had a tendency to aggravate his case. Upon another occasion he was severely wounded in the head when he was hit on the head by a flying limb of a tree which was shattered by a shell. Upon his return home he had apparently recovered his usual health and took charge of the work on his farm, meeting with success. His mother and sister, Miss Edna, are at present in California, and they have been notified of his death, but it is hardly probable they will return in time for the funeral. Two brothers, Harry and Paul, who were in Montana, returned home on Wednesday evening upon receipt of the sad intelligence of their brother's death. Besides the above members who were absent there were three brothers residing in the Brant district, Messrs. Jay, George and Thomas, and two sisters, Mrs. Wilkinson and Miss Mabel Green. The deceased was only in his 26th year. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved family in their affliction.

The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, November 28, services taking place at the Methodist Church. Interment will be made in the High River cemetery.

The Toronto Telegram says that James Weir, M.P.P., for Nanton riding, will support Mr. Meighen at the next Federal election.

Seven convictions under the Alberta Liquor Act in one day is fairly good work for the police of Pincher Creek. They are determined to clean up the whiskey business in Pincher Creek and no mistake.

Wild animal preservation by the dominion government is being furthered in Alberta, and a new park is being established in the Brooks district where a herd of 150 antelope is roaming.

The provincial treasury at Alberta will receive the sum of \$225,000 from the Federal government, that being the payment due them of the refunded interest charges that the province paid on account of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

The Lethbridge Herald estimates the shipment of grain through that point for this season till November 15 at 12,000,000 bushels.

Creameries are being erected at various points in the north. Bashaw and Coronation having plants installed.

In all probability the Hon. T. A. Crerar will speak in Calgary some time in December, and when he does he will get an enthusiastic hearing.

The housing situation in Los Angeles has become so acute that the city council has asked for the loan of 5,000 army tents to be used as temporary dwellings.

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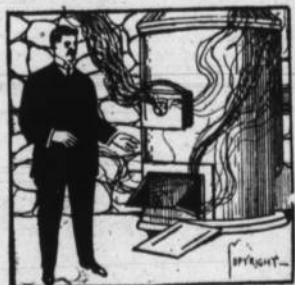
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PROVINCIAL NEWS ITEMS.

Charles F. Law, dominion geologist, who has been over the northern oil fields states that in his opinion the Alberta oil fields will produce over one million barrels of oil a year. He believes that there exists in the north the world's greatest oil fields.

Every authority appearing on the scene assures us that the Mackenzie river oil find is certain to be the most important in the world's history. We hope that there is no mistake about the presence of oil in large quantities for we cannot afford to have a false impression go abroad again after the disastrous results of the Calgary oil boom of 1914.

And now the report comes that the maritime provinces have held a secret conference and have decided on concerted action against any change in giving the Western provinces their natural resources. What a selfish bunch these men are. Meanwhile Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are completing plans to press their first claim for their resources.

Someone in Ottawa, on the strength of the amount of fall plowing done in Canada this year, predicts a good 1921 harvest. Fact is experts discourage fall plowing, claiming that the earth is too dry for plowing and they recommend spring plowing instead.

British ex-service men in large numbers are anxious to come to Canada. They are good people, and if they are ready to go on the land and have an aptitude for agriculture, they will be doubly welcome.

Now it has been disclosed that the Sinn Fein planned to spread typhoid among British troops during the war and anthrax among army horses. If for nothing else this will condemn them in the eyes of the world.

That man Flynn who came to Canada from across the line and enlisted in the army two weeks before the United States came into the war, very unfortunately remained in Canada after his return and he has been engaged in stirring up trouble ever since. Why Canadians tolerate this man is beyond us for he is unquestionably a trouble maker and judging from the

name he may be a follower of such men as de Valera, president of the Irish republic, Lindsay Crawford or some other leader of the Self Determination League in Canada.

It should be a very easy matter to man the coal mines near Edmonton with men who would be satisfied with a wage of \$5 per day instead of \$9 as now demanded. There are a sufficient number of unemployed men in Calgary and Edmonton to take the place of those who go on strike.

The authorship of "J'accuse" a terrific onslaught on Kaiserism which was published in 1915, has been revealed, the writer being a German named Dr. Richard Gellling, very prominent in German official circles. It appears he was compelled to leave Germany for attempts were made on his life. He went to Switzerland and after the Armistice he went back to his own country, but found the feeling still strong against him and for the second time he has gone into exile. It would appear that the German people are still in love with their dear Kaiser.

Building permits in the city of Edmonton for 1920 will amount to over \$3,000,000.

Edmonton is often described by American writers as "the coming Chicago of Canada."

J. J. Cameron, former manager of the Pincher Creek Co-operative Association, who it is said appropriated the company's funds to his own use, is now in a sanatorium in Ontario, suffering from nervous collapse.

In the Daysland district a big drainage scheme is being considered in which 16,000 acres of wet land north of the town will be reclaimed. Five other similar reclamation schemes have been approved by the government and the work will be proceeded with.

The Algoma steel corporation at Sault St. Marie, has given orders cutting down the number of employees, compelling three men to do the work formerly done by four men. We have no doubt but that even at that reduction, if the men play fair the production will be as high as formerly.

AUCTIONS SALE

Having rented my place, the undermentioned property will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the S.W. Quarter of Section 13-17-22, W4, being 5 miles East and 2 miles North of Reid Hill, and 15 miles East and 2 miles North of Vulcan, on

Monday, Dec. 6th, 1290**17 HEAD OF HORSES**

1 black mare, 10 years old, 1400, in foal; 1 bay filly, 3 years, 1200; 1 bay gelding, 9 years, 1200; 1 grey gelding, 4 years, 1100, broke to saddle, 1 roan saddle mare, 9 years, 1000, will drive anyway; 1 team of mules, 8 and 9 years, 1100 each; 1 team of mules, 12 years, 1200 each; Three 2 year olds, 1 filly and 2 gelding; 3 brilliant bred sucking colts, Percherons; 1 sorrel mare, 11 years, 1100; 1 bay gelding, 10 years, 1100.

4 HEAD OF CATTLE

1 red Hereford Cow, 6 years, in calf, gentle; 1 red Hereford Cow, 3 years, in calf, gentle; 1 well bred Durham Bull, 6 months old; 1 Durham bull calf, 3 months old.

MACHINERY

2 Massey-Harris binders, 8 foot cut, 1 A No. 1 repair; Hamilton triple disc plow, nearly new; 6-section harrow; tank heater. 2 John Deere stag plows, good as new; McCormick mower, 5 foot cut; triple box; Bain 3 1-2 wagon; Bain wagon, 3 1-4 double box; good democrat, light wagon, 3in. Studebaker, 3 1-2 h.p. engine, Golden Sharple, with pump jack; Ford body, 14-barrel Water tank, Coyote sleigh, Nelson grain picker, John Deere gang plow, with number extra shears, Hero fanning mill, power attachment; bundle rack, 5 sets double work harness, set single harness, 2 sets good four horse lines, 1 extra length number odd collars, surringle, spurs, Mexican lariet rope, set beam scales, forge, logging chains, doubletrees and equalizers, tools of all description, and in fact everything anyone wants.

1 Four-Ninety Chevrolet touring car, in good condition. 3 new Tires and Inner Tubes purchased this fall. Terms on car will be one half cash, balance same terms as Sale.

FURNITURE, Etc.

6-hole range, good as new; first class kitchen cabinet, dining room buffet, writing desk, dresser and wash stand, 3 good complete beds, 2 Goose feather down bed ticks, cold and hot blast heater, dining room table and 6 chairs, Round Oak heater, washing machine, wringer, ironing boards, centre table, library table, kitchen table, 2 rockers, china cabinet together with a large assortment of Pots, pans, dishes of all kinds, kettles, and other small articles too numerous to mention, also a complete set of Veterinary tools, together with a supply of Medicines of all kinds.

Sale Starts 11 o'clock Lunch Served at Noon**Terms Of Sale**

Articles of \$25.00 and under, CASH. Articles over \$25.00, time will be given until November 1st, 1921, purchaser to give approved lien notes bearing interest at 8 per cent. Discount of 8 per cent will be given for cash on credit amounts

JOHN J. BALSTED, Owner.**C. B. SHIMP, Clerk.****C. C. REBBE, Auctioneer.****AUCTIONS SALE**

Having rented my place, the undermentioned will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the N.E. quarter of Section 36-16-24 W4, being 3 1-2 miles East of Vulcan, on

Tuesday, Dec. 7th, 1920**39 HEAD OF HORSES**

1 brown gelding, 8 years, 1500; 1 bay gelding, 8 years, 1400; 1 black horse, 10 years, 1400; 1 bay gelding, 12 years, 1400; 1 chestnut gelding, 10 years, 1400; 1 bay gelding, 10 years, 1450; 1 grey gelding, 12 years, 1300; 1 bay gelding, 9 years, 1200; 1 brown gelding, 10 years, 1200; 1 bay mare, 3 years, 1300; 1 bay gelding, 8 years, 1350; 1 sorrel mare, 8 years, 1300; 1 backskin mare, 9 years, 1200; 1 bay mare, 5 years, 1000; 1 black mare, 5 years, 1200; 1 bay gelding, 3 years, 1100; 1 black gelding, 9 years, 1400; 1 grey gelding, 7 years, 1400; 1 black gelding, 6 years, 1300; 1 black gelding, 9 years, 1250; 1 brown gelding, 6 years, 1300; 1 bay gelding, aged, 1200; 1 black gelding, 10 years, 1300; 1 buckskin gelding, 1 brown gelding, 1 bay filly all rising three years; 7 head of colts, rising 2 years; 3 sucking colts; 1 all purpose horse, 7 years, 1000; 1 pony, gentle for children to ride or drive; 1 well bred Clyde Stallion, 10 years, 1500. This animal is well broken to work and will make a good range Stallion.

CATTLE, HOGS and SHEEP

One 6 year old cow, giving milk; 4 spring heifer calves, from good stock; 1 steer calf; 2 brood sows; 2 shoats, weight 150lbs. each; 12 young pigs around 60lbs.; 30 head of sheep, ewes and wethers.

60 Well bred Rhode-Island Reds, Chickens.**MACHINERY, ETC.**

One 3 3-4 Adams wagon, with 150 bushel grain tank, One 3 1-2 Bettendorph wagon with triple box, 2 wagons with racks, Two 3 foot cut Massey-Harris binders, One 3 foot Deering binder, One 20 run single disc Van Brunt drill, new last spring; One 18 run single disc, Van Brunt drill, 1 section lever harrow, One 14 inch John Deere gang plow; 1 U. S. G. fanning mill, 1 Bull Dog fanning mill; 1 democrat, 1 buggy, One 12 foot sub-soil packer, 1 garden cultivator, 1 Smart C. canner, One 2 1-2 h.p. gas engine, 1 disc harrow, 1 tank heater, 5 sets of Breaching harness, 4 sets of plow harness, 1 set of single harness, extra collars and other straps, etc. Pitch forks, shovels, crowbars, chains, tools and other similar articles

500 Bushels OF OATS**FURNITURE**

1 writing desk, 2 rockers, 6 kitchen chairs, One 6 foot extension table, 3 beds complete, 1 gas mantle lamp, 1 range stove, 1 oil heater, 1 washing machine, 1 DeLaval, cream separator, 1 fur coat, 1 double barrel shot gun, Two 8 gallon cream cans, tub, boiler, wash stand, dishes, cooking utensils and other small household effects.

Sale Starts 11 o'clock Lunch Served at Noon**Terms Of Sale**

Articles of \$25.00 and under CASH. Oats, Chickens, Hogs and Sheep, CASH. Articles over the \$25.00 one-half cash, balance time will be given until November 1st, 1921. Purchaser to furnish approved lien notes bearing 8 per cent interest from date. 10 per cent discount will be given for cash on all CREDIT amounts.

E. G. McPHERSON, Owner**C. B. SHIMP, Clerk.****C. C. REBBE, Auctioneer.**

There are 1000 idle men in Drumheller as a result of a shortage of cars.

Alberta school debentures are now on sale by the educational department of the province to the amount of \$200,000. The bonds are selling at par at 8 per cent, and individual buyers are taking up the investment with considerable enthusiasm. The investment is a gilt edged one and more Albertans should buy.

Quebec farmers appearing before the tariff enquiry at Montreal submitted their views. One farmer said his real trouble was shortage of labor. "We have got down to one-man, one-ion finders are keepers unless ownership can be established.

O. B. U. organizers in the Edmonton coal fields are out for an increase of wages. Miners at piece-work are now being paid an average daily wage of \$9.50 while common laborers are drawing from \$4.90 to \$5.65 per day. Let the O.B.U. men be dismissed and others of our unemployed given permission to fill the vacant positions.

Egg inspection in the western division of Canada for the month of October were 10,128 cases, which makes 107,389 cases for the year to date. The total inspections for Canada for the year ending with October were 334,111 cases.

The Hon. Duncan Marshall's sale of pure bred Shorthorns was a great success. In the bunch sold were shown eleven bulls which averaged \$552 and 32 females averaging \$269.58, which is considered very satisfactory.

Speaking before the Manitoba Horticultural Society, Professor N. E. Hansen, of the South Dakota Agricultural College, lauded the Arctic north as a Utopia of agricultural, horticultural and livestock possibilities. Years of investigation, he claims, have shown him that fruits can be grown within the Arctic circle, alfalfa produced successfully in a climate where the temperature descends to 91 degrees below zero, and sheep and cattle thrive in the snow and mature free from disease. He urged the transplantation of Siberian alfalfa to Canada, prophesying a yield eight times greater in rich Canadian soil, and a crossing of Canadian sheep with the hardier Siberian breeds.

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Mitchell Lewis in

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TO CONTROL WEEDS AND HOPPERS

A special lecture and demonstration train on weed eradication and control will tour South Alberta in February. A conference was recently held in Saskatoon at which H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture for Alberta, as well as a representative from Manitoba and Saskatchewan was present.

The special train is a means they are using to meet the farmers and it will commence from Winnipeg about January 26. The train will consist of two lecture cars, one cafe and one sleeper.

Since it was impossible to fully traverse each province with the demonstration train, it was decided to touch only at southern points, this portion of each province being menaced more with noxious weeds and the other problems of hoppers and soil drifting than are the northern sections. Officials of the departments of agriculture realize the urgency of combating these field menaces, which have become infinitely more vital as a result of the greater production efforts of the war and of recent crop failures in the dry belt. The train will spend two weeks in each province.

Each province will provide an official to attend the train throughout its tour; the federal department of agriculture will be asked to supply another lecturer, and it is likely that an expert on soil-drifting eradication will be secured from the States. The remainder of the staff will be provided in each province by the department of agriculture in that province. Although grass hopper and soil-drifting control will be fully dealt with, the three governments will place special emphasis on the eradication of noxious weeds by means of this special train.

SHOULD IMPOSE STIFF SENTENCE

In almost every issue of Calgary, Edmonton and Lethbridge papers the usual item may be read of some poor pedestrian being injured, or killed through the carelessness of the driver of an automobile or auto truck. In Edmonton one citizen had his skull fractured, in Lethbridge another man was injured for life and in Calgary numerous accidents occurred on the same day which would indicate that the death toll of the automobile is far greater than that of the railway train. It is unfortunate that some of these careless drivers are permitted to escape their just punishment for it is an admitted fact that there is altogether too much speeding going on in these cities and until a few good stiff sentences are imposed on the offenders we fear we will be obliged to read of the daily toll of the automobile. Let the charge of manslaughter be perfected against every offender and where carelessness is proven on the part of the driver then let the law take its course.

THREE CANADIAN FEATURES

It will be of particular interest to Canadians generally to read the candid opinion of a candid Englishman, Lord Desborough, who, after visiting Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, said in an address to a large gathering of prominent Britishers in London: "Three things which attract the attention of the visitor to this country are: 'One is the fact that the country is so big; two is the fact that the country is so rich; and three is the fact that the country is so well governed.'"

"Conceive of the consternation that was caused when the Mail's obituary stated that 'in every relation of life the late Mr. — was distinguished for his voracity!' It was almost as bad when a well known country squire of Warwickshire was said to have 'been outshooting peasants most of the day.' But worse still was the mistake that said of a High Church parson that he 'was the tainted son of a sainted mother.'"

Of a great hostess we said that 'her ladyship deceived her guests at the top of the grand staircase'; and an eminent statesman was made to say: 'Oh these allegations about rotten ships I must confess that I also am very septic!'

GO IN FOR LIVESTOCK

Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture, was present at the Collicutt sale and said a few words before the bidding was commenced. He referred to the excellent strain of cattle that Mr. Collicutt had introduced into the province, stating that he, Mr. Collicutt, had been the first man with the courage to buy nothing but the best and most expensive stock that he could acquire, and lots of it. "I know that you can make no mistake," he said, "in purchasing any of the animals that are offered for sale to-day, either as a foundation of a herd or for the improvement of an existing herd of purebred Hereford stock."

Mr. Marshall reiterated the statement that he has made so often, to the effect that the breeding of good livestock was the basic necessity of successful farming in the province. He pointed out that after every war

in history, a tendency had been exhibited on the part of the farmer to attempt to grow more wheat, tempted by high prices, and that an adverse effect had always resulted with regard to the livestock situation which in turn had resulted in a disadvantage to farming in general.

"Do not let yourselves be stampeded into neglecting your livestock entirely, for the sake of growing more wheat than is necessary," he said. "Without good livestock in the country we can never have good farming."

CLIPPED FROM KINCARDINE REVIEW

An Afterthought

Terence McSwiney was a poet, so he might have starved to death, anyway.

The Latest Definition

Heckler—an Old Country free trader or socialist.

Therefore—

The man who carries a revolver increases by 100 per cent. his chances of shooting and by perhaps 50 per cent his chances of being shot.

Another on the Scot.

Did you ever hear that one about the Scotsman and Irishman who went in to have a drink but didn't have it because the Irishman had no money.

Why it is Called a Blind Pig

Because it cannot see that in the long run it doesn't pay.

A Safe Hiding Place

It's a wonder that none of those ingenious liquor runners ever thought of concealing the stuff among the verbiage that surrounds the tariff views of Hon. Mackenzie King.

A Word in Season

Do your Christmas shopping early so that the salesmen and ladies will not have to do their Christmas shopping late.

A CHANCE FOR RECOVERY

An English physician telegraphed to the husband of a patient who had sustained a chill, and this is the form in which the message reached him: "No danger. Your wife has had a child. If we can keep her from having another tonight she will do well."

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

ALBERTA FUR SALE

There were over 300 lots of skins, totalling over 1000, included in the sale of furs held by the provincial government last week, which were practically all made up of the beaver skins which had been taken under permit, the total amount of the sale being \$10,650, an average of \$9.81 per skin. There were 86 skins not sold, having been put in at a reserve bid by the trappers. The method of selling the skins is that the trapper receives 75 per cent. of the value and the government 25 per cent. There was a wide range in prices, some of the skins being tendered for at a price up to \$20. There was a few timber wolves in the lot, the top price being \$17 and one of them down to \$1.

Hon. J. A. Calder, upon his return to Toronto, made the guess that McKenzie King would not get more than four seats in the West and he thinks his party will split fifty-fifty with the United Farmers.

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A VERY LARGE YIELD

The last of the threshers return for this season is about in but the final estimates will not be made until the first of the year. The department at Edmonton with the returns to hand made the statement that an average of 25 bushels per acre over the province is regarded as fairly accurate. With that average the province will have grown over 90,000,000 bushels of wheat which is away beyond the largest previous crop. The total wheat yield in 1915 was barely 60,000,000 bushels. The total yield of oats for the province will be 140,000,000 bushels; in 1915 the yield was 99,582,604.

At a U.F.A. meeting held at Medicine Hat recently the question of liquor came up for discussion when the fact was established that the farmers were very much opposed to government liquor stores.

Sir George Foster has been made a vice-president of the League of Nations. That is an honor to Canada as well as to Sir George, and one that many Canadians will endorse no matter of what shade of politics.

Books!

This week's arrivals consist of a full line of books including the latest Copyrights and the most popular Reprints such as Zane Grey's, McLeod Raines, Wright's, Tarzan books and many others.

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LOCAL ITEMS

The teachers and officers of the Union Sunday School are requested to meet at the Manse on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. A. E. and Mrs. Hayes were visitors to High River on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week attending the Presbytery Meeting held at that point.

If you are a member of the Vulcan Agricultural Society do not forget to attend the Annual Meeting to be held on Wednesday, December 8th. The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

Bud Brooks and his manager, E. J. Arnold, left for Falls City, Nebraska, on Monday last where he has several wrestling matches for the near future.

Mrs. W. Clappison, an old resident of Vulcan, but now of Rosebud, arrived in Vulcan on Monday last and spent several days in town visiting with her daughter, Miss Mary Clappison, of the telephone staff.

Three good second hand stock saddles for sale at Collier's Harness Shop.

Mrs. Roy Ferguson, who has been in a Calgary hospital for some time where she underwent an operation for appendicitis and tonsils, returned home on Wednesday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Layman and daughter left on Saturday for Hamilton, Ont., where they will spend several weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers, who have been residents of Vulcan for several months left recently for Geraldine, Montana, where they will reside in future.

Mr. A. L. Wright, successor to Mr. A. M. Trail, as manager of the Bank of Hamilton at this point, arrived in Vulcan on Thursday last to assume his new duties.

Mr. J. R. Fyfe, who was connected with government telephone work in the Vulcan district for some weeks last fall, left Calgary on Friday on a visit to his brother in Portland, Oregon. Mr. Fyfe expects to return early next spring to take up duties as a wireless officer in the Naval branch of the Canadian Government Service.

Capt. C. T. Galbraith has this week received recognition for his services with the Canadian Forces in France in the form of a certificate just to hand which states that he was mentioned in despatches for "Gallant and Distinguished Services in the Field." He will receive special decorations in due course.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Myers, who have resided in the Reid Hill district for several years past, left Vulcan on Thursday evening for the Coast where they will visit in several cities. They are undecided as to where they will settle and will do considerable travelling before deciding on their future.

The Combination Sale held by Rebbe & Shimp on Saturday last in town was very successful and very high prices realized on everything sold. There was a good attendance and bidding was brisk. There will be another sale at the same place on Saturday next which will include a bunch of horses.

Vulcan and district has pledged to date over \$1,000 towards the National Peace Thank Offering in connection with the Forward Movement. About half the district has been canvassed and when the total returns are in, it is safe to say that Vulcan will give a good account of itself. Already great results have been achieved and a new heart has been given the work.

While engaged printing our last week's issue one of the important parts of our large press broke and

put the machine out of commission for awhile. Fortunately we were able to finish printing at head office in High River and got the paper out although a little late. It will be a few days yet before we can get a new part to take the place of the one broken and in the meantime we will endeavor to get the paper out as best we can and we hope that our rural subscribers, who will receive their papers late on account of this accident, will bear with us until we get in good running order again to get our issues out on time.

The offerings at the Opera House the past week have been exceptionally good and attended by large crowds at each performance. On Tuesday evening those in attendance were given a treat when little Miss La Viene, who lives near Vulcan gave a splendid exhibition of dancing and it is to be hoped that she will appear again on some future occasion.

Mr. Joe Robinson and family, who have been farming near Vulcan for the past few years, left on Monday last for Quebec, where they will embark on the C.P.O.S. Empress of France for the Old Country, on Wednesday, November 27th, where they intend to reside in future. The many friends of this estimable family, although loathe to see them leave the district, wish them "God Speed" and hope that prosperity will attend their efforts in their new location and if at some future date they decide to return to God's country they may feel sure of a warm welcome from their old friends.

COMMUNICATION

Editor, Vulcan Advocate:

"Dear Sir,—I have read a short article on "Hides" I would like to have you print in your paper and perhaps you or some of your subscribers can enlighten me on some points I do not understand.

I took to Vulcan a first class two-year-old steer hide. It weighed 60 lbs. net and I received \$2.20 for same.

I find it would take four hides to buy myself a cheap pair of boots, two hides to buy one pair of good leather gloves and forty to buy one set of double harness—"And Why?"

CHURCH NOTES

On Sunday evening to a well-filled church, Rev. A. E. Hayes dealt with the theme "Education for Citizenship." The true citizen cannot recline at ease if his fellow beings are in bondage, mental or moral. Real education enables us to take a great interest in the people that are in our midst, and it also bids us look to distant climes and people. This is the true citizen is cosmopolitan—a world citizen. We no longer think of the hostis or stranger as hostile and we are learning that if we seek our own aggrandisement at the expense of others we are sacrificing our own humanity.

Here the minister made reference to "The White Man's Burden." Kipling has told us that there is such a thing as a white man's burden, which if we take on our shoulders, we are truly patriotic, and if we fail to do so we are not educated. We have to extend our help to less fortunate countries, yes, and in the teeth of opposition and without hope of reward. Egypt, India, China, need our help and need it in the broadest possible way and we dare not withhold it.

The day is coming when it may be counted against us as a form of pride, that we should outdistance any people in the race of life. That does not mean that we are not to go forward. We are to go forward, but we must have due regard for those struggling in the rear.

The gospel that Jesus bid men preach throughout the world is a gospel of brotherly love—a gospel that bespeaks of service; a gospel of righteousness, which is more necessary in many cases than daily bread.

A true education is science and more than science; it is scientific rapture or love of everything; it is a science which is also a religion and a religion which is also a science.

No man today who professes to be educated repudiates the teachings of Jesus, but what he does lament is that more of the teachings of Christ are not lived out.



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CLEW TO SMALL MYSTERY

John Doughty, who was wanted for the kidnapping of Ambrose Small, of Toronto, and the alleged theft of \$100,000 in bonds, was arrested at Oregon City, where he has been engaged in a paper mill. Doughty acknowledged the taking of the bonds but swears that he knows nothing of the disappearance of Mr. Small, who received a cheque the day before his disappearance for \$1,000,000.

A. S. Goodeve, member of the Rail-

way Commissioners of Canada, died in Toronto on November 22nd.

Mr. Geo. Lane, of Calgary, left for Los Angeles, California, on the 17th instant. We regret to say that Mr. Lane has not been enjoying the best of health of late and it is hoped that the change of air will bring benefit to his health.

A man who was recently hunting big game in the mountains not far from Pincher Creek, says he saw nineteen deer in one herd in the mountains.

Specials For This Week

Wheat is on the gain and so is is flour. Get it while it is cheap "Our Best" 98lb. sack \$5.50, 5 sack lots \$5.35. A sack will make a welcome Christmas gift.

Groceries

Nuts for Xmas, all kinds per lb. 35c.
Candy, per lb. 35c.
Royal Shield Coffee, 5lbs. \$2.50
Old Dutch Coffee, 5lbs. \$1.80
Royal Shield Tea, 5lbs. \$2.50

Dried Fruit

Prunes, 50-60 to a lb. 10lb. box \$3.00
Prunes, 50-60 to a lb. 25lb. box \$4.75
Raisins, seedless, 5lbs. \$1.90
Peaches, 5lbs. \$1.95
Pears, 5lbs. \$1.95
White Figs, 5lbs. \$1.25
Evaporated Apples, per lb. 25c.

Get our prices on Canned Fruit, we can save you money. Home canned in glass jars.

VULCAN
WHOLESALE GROCERY
W. L. BUCHER, Manager

Vulcan Bakery

FRESH BREAD
and PASTRIES
Every Day

Cunningham

VULCAN ALTA.

J. NAISMITH & CO.

RETAILER'S LICENSE, No. 65

PHONE 25

\$1.50 Men's Two Piece Wool Underwear \$1.50

Extra Special For One Week

These garments are old stock and are excellent value at regular price. These garments are slightly soiled, more or less, so in order to help reduce the "High Cost" we have placed these on the bargain table. Regular price up to \$2.50. Special price per garment

\$1.50**LOCAL ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dean, who have been farming in this district for the past few years, left on Tuesday last for Wauna, Oregon, where they will reside in future.

Mr. George McQueen was a business visitor to Lethbridge on Thursday last.

Mr. C. A. Johnston, of Kirkcaldy, is seriously ill with pneumonia and was taken to hospital at Calgary last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Robinson, former residents of the Vulcan district but now of Gleichen, who have been spending a few days in Calgary, spent a few hours in town on Friday on business. While here Mr. Robinson did not forget to pay us a visit and put himself in good standing in regard to his subscription.

Mr. C. E. Henry left on Wednesday last for Portland, Oregon, to join Mrs. Henry and daughter, who went there some time ago, and will be away for several weeks.

Mr. A. C. Bancroft received word on Saturday evening last of the serious illness of his brother in Vancouver and left for that point immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennejohn, who were Calgary visitors for several days last week, returned home on Friday.

Look over the Auction Sale Advt., on another page and if there is anything you need don't forget to attend.

Three good second hand stock saddles for sale at Collier's Harness Shop. J. M. Cruikshanks, of Pilot Mound, Manitoba, and who was a delegate to the U.G.G. Convention at Calgary, spent the week end with Mr. G. McQueen.

No. 1 Apples \$3.75, at the 4X Meat Market.

Mr. A. G. Dickinson left for Calgary on Saturday evening where he spent a few days on business.

Mr. Clifford Graham left on Friday last for Prescott, Ontario, where he will spend the winter.

"Lest You Forget!" The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Vulcan Community Church are holding a Bazaar in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Thursday, December 9th. Keep this date open and do not forget to attend both it and the Concert to be held in the evening.

Mr. John Jacobson, of Vulcan, sold a quarter section to one of his brothers this week for \$75.00 per acre.

Have you looked at the label on your paper lately to see how your subscription stands? If not look this week and if in arrears we would appreciate a call from you and make adjustments, to date.

Miss Francis Shier left on Sunday for Chicago upon receipt of a telegram informing her of the illness of her mother. She was accompanied by her brother, Ollie Shier.

Mrs. Jack Hannigan, who has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jack Marshall, left on Tuesday for her home in Great Falls, Montana.

Don't forget the Vulcan Perriots on Friday evening next. A dance will be held after the show.

Mr. and Mrs. McConkey, Langdon, are visitors with Mrs. McConkey's brothers, Fred and Rube Elves, for a few days.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 24th of December, 1920, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week on the route between Vulcan and Railway Station (Night Trips) from the Postmaster General's pleasure next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Vulcan and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Lethbridge.

Post Office Inspector's Office, November 10th, 1920.

FRED W. SMITH,

Post Office Inspector.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 7th of January, 1921 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, twice and twice per week on the routes between ARMADA AND LOMOND, and between REID HILL AND VULCAN, from the Postmaster General's pleasure next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of ARMADA, LOMOND, REID HILL and VULCAN, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, Lethbridge.

Post Office Inspector's Office, November 24, 1920.

FRED W. SMITH,

Post Office Inspector.

NOTICE!**Big Bargain Sale**

Now On At The

General Service Garage**J. F. Mosher**

Proprietor

TAX SALE

Sale of Lands in the Village of Vulcan for Arrears of Taxes.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Village of Vulcan will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes on Wednesday the 15th day of December, 1920, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer at Vulcan, Alberta. A full list of the said lands may be found in the issue dated 20th October, 1920, of the "Vulcan Advocate," a newspaper published weekly at Vulcan aforesaid and unless the said arrears of taxes and costs be sooner paid the Treasurer will proceed to sell the said lands at the time and place above-mentioned.

Dated at Vulcan, Alberta, the 20th day of October, 1920.

A. J. FLOOD,

Secretary-Treasurer.

TAX SALE

Sale of Lands in the Municipal District of Royal No. 158, for Arrears of Taxes.

NOTICE is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Royal No. 158 will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes on Wednesday the 15th day of December, 1920 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer at Vulcan, Alberta. A full list of the said lands may be found in the issue dated 20th October, 1920 of the "Vulcan Advocate" a newspaper published weekly at Vulcan aforesaid and unless the said arrears of taxes and costs be sooner paid the Treasurer will proceed to sell the said lands at the time and place above-mentioned.



Dated at Vulcan, Alberta, the 20th day of October, 1920.

A. J. FLOOD,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Pound Notice

To whom the same may concern—

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of power granted under Section 208 of the "Municipal District Act," and of By-Law No. 17 of the Municipal District Act of Municipality of Marquis No. 157, dated April 12th, 1919, one red bull with white spot on right shoulder, branded  on left shoulder and  on right, was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the S.W. Quarter section 4-19-24 on the 6th day of November, 1920.

Dated November 8th, 1920.

M. P. MARSHALL,

Poundkeeper.

H.R. No. 2.

NOTICE


Trespassing on the following lands is strictly forbidden: East half of Section 21; North half of Section 16; All of Section 15; All of Section 11; North half of Section 2; South half of Section 14; North-West of Section 14; All of Section 23; North-East of Section 24. All in Township 18; Range 24.


W. G. PETERSON,

Owner.

Room and board in private family. Apply Advocate Office. Nov. 17th.

ESTRAY

ESTRAY—\$10.00 Reward will be paid for the recovery of cattle branded  on left ribs and horses

branded  on left thigh. Mrs. J. H. Chandler, Nanton, Alta.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Pure bred Cockerels, Rose Comb White Leghorns from Prize Winning Stock. Price \$3.00 each. A. E. Starling, Arrowood, Alta. 1-4 mile South Arrowood Post Office, Buffalo Hills.

FOR SALE—Ford Car for sale, cheap for cash. Apply Dr. A. O. Brown, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—640 acres good steam plow wheat land, free from rock, only 2 miles from Blackie. Price \$35.00 per acre. Very liberal terms. Investigate this, it's a snap. Write wire or phone Jas. Cuthbertson, Nanton, Phones 68 or 92; P.O. Box 115. Dec. 1 12p

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cockerels from Missouri, prize stock, \$4 and \$5. Also Bronze Turkeys, Toms \$6.00, Hens \$4.00. Apply Mrs. W. C. Lyle, Gleichen, Alta., Phone 908.

Dec. 1 14p.

Farms For Sale

1120 acres N.E. of Vulcan (Phelan Farm) 700 acres in cultivation, 220 acres summerfallowed. Buildings modern in every respect, electric lights, water system, etc., 2 miles to school and church. Price \$60.00 per acre, crop payment after first payment.

320 acres, W. 1/2 20-19-24-4. This half section is well improved with six room house, barn, chicken house, shop and seven new granaries. No better land laying anywhere. This land is located North of Vulcan, just South of the Bartsh ranch. Price \$45.00, \$3,000.00 cash will buy this half, with ten years for the balance.

1,000 acres in the Buffalo Hills district with two sets of buildings. A fine mixed farming proposition at \$35.00 an acre. One quarter mile to school. You can't beat this buy.

We have buyers for all parts. Is your farm for sale? If so see us at once. We have several thousand acres of the Blackfoot Reserve for sale near the Arrowood Consolidated School.

See us for farm values.

JONES & LYLE,

Real Estate, Phone 103, Gleichen, Alberta.

LOST—Pair of Nose Glasses in Case. Finder please return to Advocate Office.

Don't forget that there will be a dance after the Pierriot Show on Friday evening. Everybody come.

Extra Special IN HIGH CLASS GOODS**Just at the Time when You Need Them**

Our Motto is to clear out each seasons goods when the season is on, so we are always in a position to give you new and up-to-date goods.

This year we give you these prices earlier, so that those who have not sold their grain, can get their requirements at a price that will take care of the drop in Wheat.

Compare these prices and quality with any City prices. Our expenses are low, therefore we are in a position to give you very low Prices.

Flannellette Blankets

12-4 Oversize, Largest Size, worth \$5.50 per pair, Special **\$4.50**

Northway Coats

for Ladies in high class Garments. 9 only left, sizes 16, 18, 34, 36, 40 and 42

1 only 34 Brown Veleur, \$55.75 for **\$42.50**
1 only 16 Green Veleur, \$61.50 for **\$47.50**
1 only 18 Reindeer Veleur, \$50.00 for **\$37.50**
1 only 36 Green Veleur, \$35.00 for **\$27.50**
1 only 36 Silverstone Veleur, \$64.35 for **\$49.75**
1 only 34 Brown Veleur, \$37.50 for **\$29.50**
1 only 41 Brown Tweed, \$35.00 for **\$27.50**
1 only 42 Brown Tweed, \$35.00 for **\$27.50**
1 only 42 Brown Silverstone, \$55.75 for **\$45.00**

Northway Suits

made of high class Serge, Tricotine, Silk lined, highly tailored. 10 Suits only

1 only 16 Norfolk Serge, \$55.00 for **\$42.50**
1 only 36 Blue Serge, \$69.75 for **\$54.50**
1 only 36 Blue Serge, \$65.75 for **\$49.75**
1 only 36 Blue Serge, \$78.75 for **\$59.50**
1 only 38 Blue Serge, \$65.75 for **\$49.75**

High Class Shoes

J. and T. Bell Make

Ladies Black Kid, \$17.00 Shoes **\$15.75**
Ladies Black Kid, \$15.90 Shoe **\$14.50**
Men's Waterproof Sole, 15.90, special **\$14.50**

Northway Suits

One only 34 Blue Gaberdine \$8.75 for **\$69.75**
One only 40 " " 65.00 for **\$47.50**
One only 40 " " 55.00 for **\$42.50**
One only 42 Black Serge, 50.00 for **\$47.50**
One only 38 Grey Tweed, 37.50 for **\$29.75**

Girls Winter Coat

for ages 10 to 15, heavy Tweed, etc., with plush collars

22.50 line for **\$17.50**
17.50 line for **\$12.50**
A few as low as **\$10.00**

Ladies' Fur Sets

At Great Reductions

Red Fox Stole **\$30.00**
Red Fox Stole **\$22.50**
Red Fox Muff, large **\$35.00**
Red Fox Muff **\$20.00**
Black Fur Stole **\$18.50**
Black Fur Muff **\$18.00**
Black Wolf Stole, 42.50 for **\$35.00**
Black Wolf Muff, 40.00 for **\$30.00**

Also Childrens Sets

All Price Reductions exactly as Represented**Ladies Sweater Coats**

In many Fancy Colors

All Regular \$12.00 Sweaters **\$5.00**
All Regular 7.50 and 8.00 Sweaters **\$3.00**

Plaid Dress Goods

1.25 to 1.50, entire stock to clear at **95c**

Ladies Combinations

Silk and Wool Combinations, all sizes, 4.50 garments for **\$3.75**

Overstocked in this line

Girls and Women's Boots

Box Calf Button Boots, just the thing for school wear, special **\$4.25**

Men's Dress Boots

Special

Box Calf, medium toe, **\$7.75**

Boy's Wool Underwear

2 piece, heavy Elastic Ribbed, special per garment **95c**

Men's Wear Specials

Corduroy Pants, sizes 40, 42 and 44, Special **\$5.95**

Men's Suits

Extra Quality

\$50.00 Sale, **\$42.50**
\$42.50 Sale, **\$35.00**

BUCK & HOWSON, - - - Vulcan, Alberta